

## South County/Long Beach Early Care Systems Advisory Committee NETWORK DATA COLLECTION INSTRUMENT

### Instructions

Listed below are organizations in Long Beach/South Los Angeles County that we believe are involved directly or indirectly in the provision of early care & education and other child and family support services for the child welfare population. Each of these organizations has been invited to participate in the *South County/Long Beach Early Care Systems Advisory Committee*. We would like to know the extent to which your organization is currently involved with, or linked to, the others on this list in order to inform the Committee's efforts to strengthen strategic partnerships for providing a full range of early care & education and other support services to infants and young children in the child welfare system, their families and caregivers. We have listed six types of involvement that your organization may have with these other agencies. These include links through: (1) exchange of information, (2) pooled funding, (3) shared staff, (4) shared space or other shared resources, (5) sending client referrals, and (6) receiving client referrals.

1. Please identify your organization/agency on the list below by circling its name.
2. Then go through the list and indicate which organization your organization is *currently* involved with for addressing the early care & education, child or family support service needs of the child welfare population. Please indicate your organization's involvement for each of the six types of relationships listed, circling the number that best corresponds to the frequency with which your organization relates to each of the other organizations listed. If you have *no link* to an organization of the type indicated, circle "0". Circle "1" if your organization relates to a listed organization *infrequently* (1-4 times a year), "2" *occasionally* (4-11 times a year), "3" *monthly* (~12-24 times a year), or "4" *weekly* (more than 3 times a month). If you *have no involvement with an organization of any type*, simply skip the row listing that organization (i.e. leave that row entirely blank).
3. In the last column, we would like you to indicate the current *overall quality of the partnership* that you have with each organization/agency listed. For instance, how responsive is the organization to your organization's needs and those of its clients? To do this, please circle the number that best reflects relationship quality using a scale of 1 to 4 where "0"=*no relationship established*, "1"=*limited partnership*, "2"=*fair partnership*, "3"=*good partnership*, and "4"=*excellent partnership*. At the end, please add any organizations that you are involved with that are not listed but that you believe are valuable to your organization in helping it address the early care & education needs of children involved in the child welfare system. Please note that partnership quality data collected via this instrument will only be shared with other organizations on the Advisory Committee in the aggregate.

### Survey

| Organizations/Agencies  | Types of Links<br>(please circle the number that best reflect the <i>frequency</i> of each type of link between your organization and each of the other organizations listed)<br>0=no involvement, 1=infrequently, 2=occasionally, 3=monthly, & 4=weekly |              |             |                                |                |                   | Partnership Quality<br>(please circle)<br>0=no relationship<br>1=limited partnership<br>2=fair partnership<br>3=good partnership<br>4=excellent partnership |
|---|--|--------------|-------------|--------------------------------|----------------|-------------------|---|
|   | Share Information  | Pool Funding | Share Staff | Share Space or Other Resources | Send Referrals | Receive Referrals |   |
|   |  |              |             |                                |                |                   |   |
| Child Care Planning Committee   | 0 1 2 3 4  | 0 1 2 3 4    | 0 1 2 3 4   | 0 1 2 3 4                      | 0 1 2 3 4      | 0 1 2 3 4         | 0 1 2 3 4   |
| Child Net   | 0 1 2 3 4  | 0 1 2 3 4    | 0 1 2 3 4   | 0 1 2 3 4                      | 0 1 2 3 4      | 0 1 2 3 4         | 0 1 2 3 4   |
| Children's Institute Incorporated Project ABC   | 0 1 2 3 4  | 0 1 2 3 4    | 0 1 2 3 4   | 0 1 2 3 4                      | 0 1 2 3 4      | 0 1 2 3 4         | 0 1 2 3 4   |
| First 5 LA  | 0 1 2 3 4  | 0 1 2 3 4    | 0 1 2 3 4   | 0 1 2 3 4                      | 0 1 2 3 4      | 0 1 2 3 4         | 0 1 2 3 4   |
| For the Child   | 0 1 2 3 4  | 0 1 2 3 4    | 0 1 2 3 4   | 0 1 2 3 4                      | 0 1 2 3 4      | 0 1 2 3 4         | 0 1 2 3 4   |
| Inter-university Consortium/ IUC/DCFS Training Project  | 0 1 2 3 4  | 0 1 2 3 4    | 0 1 2 3 4   | 0 1 2 3 4                      | 0 1 2 3 4      | 0 1 2 3 4         | 0 1 2 3 4   |
| Long Beach Department of Mental Health  | 0 1 2 3 4  | 0 1 2 3 4    | 0 1 2 3 4   | 0 1 2 3 4                      | 0 1 2 3 4      | 0 1 2 3 4         | 0 1 2 3 4   |
| Long Beach Early Education Committee  | 0 1 2 3 4  | 0 1 2 3 4    | 0 1 2 3 4   | 0 1 2 3 4                      | 0 1 2 3 4      | 0 1 2 3 4         | 0 1 2 3 4   |
| Long Beach Unified School District (LBUSD) Head Start   | 0 1 2 3 4  | 0 1 2 3 4    | 0 1 2 3 4   | 0 1 2 3 4                      | 0 1 2 3 4      | 0 1 2 3 4         | 0 1 2 3 4   |
| Los Angeles Board of Supervisors 4 <sup>th</sup> District (Supervisor Knabe's Office)         | 0 1 2 3 4  | 0 1 2 3 4    | 0 1 2 3 4   | 0 1 2 3 4                      | 0 1 2 3 4      | 0 1 2 3 4         | 0 1 2 3 4   |
| Los Angeles County Department of Children & Family Services (DCFS) Education & Mentoring Unit | 0 1 2 3 4  | 0 1 2 3 4    | 0 1 2 3 4   | 0 1 2 3 4                      | 0 1 2 3 4      | 0 1 2 3 4         | 0 1 2 3 4   |

Please remember to complete the back side of this form.

Your Name: \_\_\_\_\_

| Organization/Agency   | Share Information | Pool Funding | Share Staff | Share Space or Other Resources | Send Referrals | Receive Referrals | Partnership Quality |
|---|-------------------|--------------|-------------|--------------------------------|----------------|-------------------|---------------------|
| Los Angeles County Department of Children & Family Services (DCFS) South County Regional Office | 0 1 2 3 4         | 0 1 2 3 4    | 0 1 2 3 4   | 0 1 2 3 4                      | 0 1 2 3 4      | 0 1 2 3 4         | 0 1 2 3 4           |
| Los Angeles County Dependency Court/Ed Edelman Children's Court                                 | 0 1 2 3 4         | 0 1 2 3 4    | 0 1 2 3 4   | 0 1 2 3 4                      | 0 1 2 3 4      | 0 1 2 3 4         | 0 1 2 3 4           |
| Los Angeles County Juvenile Delinquency Court   | 0 1 2 3 4         | 0 1 2 3 4    | 0 1 2 3 4   | 0 1 2 3 4                      | 0 1 2 3 4      | 0 1 2 3 4         | 0 1 2 3 4           |
| Los Angeles County Juvenile Probation   | 0 1 2 3 4         | 0 1 2 3 4    | 0 1 2 3 4   | 0 1 2 3 4                      | 0 1 2 3 4      | 0 1 2 3 4         | 0 1 2 3 4           |
| Los Angeles County Policy Roundtable for Child Care   | 0 1 2 3 4         | 0 1 2 3 4    | 0 1 2 3 4   | 0 1 2 3 4                      | 0 1 2 3 4      | 0 1 2 3 4         | 0 1 2 3 4           |
| Los Angeles Universal Preschool (LAUP)  | 0 1 2 3 4         | 0 1 2 3 4    | 0 1 2 3 4   | 0 1 2 3 4                      | 0 1 2 3 4      | 0 1 2 3 4         | 0 1 2 3 4           |
| Michigan State University (MSU) School of Social Work   | 0 1 2 3 4         | 0 1 2 3 4    | 0 1 2 3 4   | 0 1 2 3 4                      | 0 1 2 3 4      | 0 1 2 3 4         | 0 1 2 3 4           |
| South Bay Center for Counseling Preschool Without Walls   | 0 1 2 3 4         | 0 1 2 3 4    | 0 1 2 3 4   | 0 1 2 3 4                      | 0 1 2 3 4      | 0 1 2 3 4         | 0 1 2 3 4           |
| Tarzana Treatment Center  | 0 1 2 3 4         | 0 1 2 3 4    | 0 1 2 3 4   | 0 1 2 3 4                      | 0 1 2 3 4      | 0 1 2 3 4         | 0 1 2 3 4           |
| UCLA Center for Healthier Children, Families & Communities                                      | 0 1 2 3 4         | 0 1 2 3 4    | 0 1 2 3 4   | 0 1 2 3 4                      | 0 1 2 3 4      | 0 1 2 3 4         | 0 1 2 3 4           |
| <b>Other Organizations:</b><br>(please list & respond as above)                                 | 0 1 2 3 4         | 0 1 2 3 4    | 0 1 2 3 4   | 0 1 2 3 4                      | 0 1 2 3 4      | 0 1 2 3 4         | 0 1 2 3 4           |
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|   | 0 1 2 3 4         | 0 1 2 3 4    | 0 1 2 3 4   | 0 1 2 3 4                      | 0 1 2 3 4      | 0 1 2 3 4         | 0 1 2 3 4           |

Please indicate the **benefits** AND **drawbacks** that your organization has experienced in collaborating with other organizations to provide early care & education and other child and family support services to the child welfare population? (check all that apply)

**Benefits:**

- a. Ability to serve our clients better ☐
- b. Greater capacity to serve the community as a whole ☐
- c. Acquisition of additional funding or other resources ☐
- d. Acquisition of new knowledge or skills ☐
- e. Better use of my organization's services ☐
- f. Building new relationships helpful to my organization/agency ☐
- g. Heightened public profile of my organization ☐
- h. Enhanced influence in the community ☐
- i. Increased ability to reallocate resources ☐
- j. Other benefit (please list): \_\_\_\_\_ ☐
- k. Other benefit (please list): \_\_\_\_\_ ☐

**Drawbacks:**

- a. Takes too much time and/or other resources ☐
- b. Loss of control/autonomy over decisions ☐
- c. Strained relationships within my organization ☐
- d. Difficulty in dealing with partners ☐
- e. Not enough credit given to my organization ☐
- f. Other drawback (please list): \_\_\_\_\_ ☐
- h. Other drawback (please list): \_\_\_\_\_ ☐

*Thank you for taking the time to provide your valuable feedback*